

# Supplementary Information

**Supplementary Table 1.**

Mechanical properties of the CrCoNi medium-entropy alloy in the temperature range from room temperature to liquid nitrogen temperature. (Statistically significant data are shown as mean  $\pm$  standard deviation.)

	293 K	198 K	77 K
Yield strength, $\sigma_y$ (MPa)	$440 \pm 13$	$554 \pm 24$	$657 \pm 22$
Ultimate tensile strength, $\sigma_u$ (MPa)	$884 \pm 11$	$1053 \pm 13$	$1311 \pm 27$
Strain to failure, $\varepsilon_f$ (-)	$0.73 \pm 0.01$	$0.68 \pm 0.09$	$0.90 \pm 0.02$
Strain hardening exponent, $n$	$0.40 \pm 0.01$	$0.40 \pm 0.00$	$0.40 \pm 0.01$
Young's modulus, $E$ (GPa)	229	235	241
Work of fracture (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> )	$3.5 \pm 0.1$	$3.9 \pm 0.5$	$6.4 \pm 0.3$
Fracture toughness, $K_{Ic}$ (MPa.m <sup>1/2</sup> )	$208 \pm 25$	$265 \pm 34$	$273 \pm 32$
Crack growth toughness* (MPa.m <sup>1/2</sup> )	$350 \pm 50$	$402 \pm 21$	$404 \pm 44$

\* at crack extension of  $\Delta a = 2.25$  mm.